

Congress: Please extend the PTC

I, James C. Nelson, a retired university professor and a sustainable-business entrepreneur, ask Congress to extend the wind-energy production tax credit (PTC) now.

Why? The wind industry will use this incentive to accelerate our national conversion to sustainable energy generation, thereby providing jobs in an industry on which the survival of humanity depends. But like all industries, it must plan ahead, and for Congress to wait until or after the PTC expires means a dangerous hiatus in investment, training, manufacturing, and installing while the wind industry waits for Congress to make up its collective mind.

I urge the committee to take up an extension of the wind energy production tax credit right away.

Respectfully and urgently,

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